GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4205
ANSWERED ON:29.08.2011
INCREASE IN TOLL TAX
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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the amount of toll tax has been recently hiked on Delhi-Gurgaon Express Highways;

(b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the reasons therefor;

(c) whether there is any plan under which 50 per cent concession is being provided to daily commuters/private vehicles passing through the said National Highway;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI JITIN PRASADA)

(a) & (b) Yes Madam. The rates of user fee have been revised in April, 2011 on Delhi-Gurgaon Express Highways as per details enclosed as Annex. The rates are to be revised every year w.e.f 1st April based on change in Wholesale Price Index (WPI) as per provisions of concession agreement.

(c) & (d) Yes Madam. As per the Concession Agreement there is a provision of 50% concession for local private vehicles and 34 % concession for local commercial vehicles.

(e) Does not arise.